

# THE STANDARD

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## STANDARD PARAGRAPHS.

It was a veritable shower of Republican votes.

Gentlemen, the Supervisors didn't do it this time.

The Greenbacker is not, just now, entirely satisfied that he has a mission.

Some one should hasten to send Gen. Chalmers a poem by Walt Whitman.

The man who goes late to a barber-shop, is almost invariably a man of great wealth.

Mr. Tilden evidently does not intend to be considered a cipher in this Presidential race.

The Democracy of Hamilton county should give their platform a coat of whitewash.

A smooth-faced youth desires to know the kind of hair vigor used by the man who "bearded the lion in his den."

Your Southern statesman is always authority on two things—the Constitution, and "twist" tobacco.

John Phair was hanged in Vermont, last week, for murder. A Phair way of dealing with them!

A Turkish-bath house blew up, in Minnesota, last Thursday. This is a terrible warning against fooling around a bath.

"Ah!" says the Mississippi bull dozer, as he sees the colored man packing his bundle to leave, "I hadn't thought of that before!"

Capt. Davis should be engaged to construct a jetty in the mouth of that Mississippi eddy—he needs a deeper channel.

A young student who went fishing declared that after waiting many hours, victory at last perched upon his hook.

Fitz-John Porter is "vindicated." The graves of those slain at Bull Run are enduring monuments of vindication.

If the minister were to go with Betsy Jane after the cows, there would be great talk. Yet he would only be making a pasture-a visit.

The great preachers who have never had a great "trial" now look with envy upon Beecher and Talmage.

Mr. Tilden has written a gushing note about the people being "defrauded of the fruits of their victory." This note was written in New York City!

The grand aim of the Democratic Congressmen is the financial salvation of the country. They are just now quarreling over a plan for bringing it about.

The United States will sell the territory of Alaska at second-hand price. This is a rare chance for some nation which wants to get rich on short notice.

Ben. Hill forgot himself the other day, and alluded to the U. S. Senate as the "Confederate Senate." Ben. generally calls things by their plain English names.

The Greenbackers in Congress indicted themselves to the highest pitch, but the Democratic majority came along, tramped the wind out of them, and gobbled the whole party.

Depend upon it, the young man who goes about singing "Nobody's Darling" has just asked the old man for the loan of a dollar and a half, and been refused.

The President of the United States felt a shock run up his back, one day last week, when the returns from the Ohio election were coming in. The good man thought, for a moment, that he really possessed a back-bone.

Hon. A. H. Stephens thinks the Democracy should accept the legitimate results of the war. Now, how can a Democrat see anything legitimate about the result of the war?

A man in Philadelphia walked for thirteen hours, without stopping—eating his meals while dancing. It would be fun to see that fellow, if his mother should ask him to get a bucket of water. How weak and sick he would be!

Now if Congressmen Blackburn and Chalmers will continue to "spread themselves," we will experience no difficulty in "boosting" Grant into the White House, next year.

This is the time of year when the sentimental young man signifies a desire to die—especially if his affectionate parent owns an acre potato-patch which needs spading.

The people of the North sent money to assist the South in getting rid of the yellow fever, and many leading Southerners were very ungrateful. Now that the North is sending money to assist the South in getting rid of her colored people, she will doubtless be ungrateful again.

An Indiana man beat his wife to death, and tried to kill another young woman, last week. This seems terrible, but we are consoled with the thought that this man will "forgive everybody" as soon as he is brought to trial.

A young man out West wrote a very able article upon the subject of religion, and headed it "Do We Gather Figs from Thistles?" The religion was all knocked out of him by seeing his article in the paper, under the heading "Do We Gather Figs from Thistles?"

The Southern planters are endeavoring to procure Chinese laborers to take the place of the departing blacks, but it is fair to presume that a Chinaman doesn't like a load of buckshot any better than an African.

She was walking through the meadows green with a gentleman friend. Suddenly she uttered a dainty little shriek, drew her mantle closer about her, and exclaimed: "Oh, those horrid weeds!" The next day she took a case-knife and went out, and cut about a peck of those "horrid weeds" and cooked them with a piece of fat bacon for dinner.

A large majority of the young men of Jackson have made a profession of religion. Now, boys, the eyes of the scorner are upon you. By your good conduct, compel them to say that there is a reality in the religion you profess. Many of you have already signified that you intend to make sacrifices to the cause of decency, if not of religion, by abandoning the use of tobacco. Good for you! Cut off this right hand—pluck out this right eye, as it were, that offend propriety and decency.

All young men who will paste it in their hats, and read it every day, and be guided by it, can have the following motto printed free at this office:

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven."—Matt. 5-16.

The Texas Tribune says: "The late 'atmospheric freshness' has brought on many cases of Coughs and Colds, and Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is in greater demand than ever." Price only 25 cents.

There was quite a new arrangement made Monday in the running of the trains on the Narrow Gauge road. See corrected time table.

**The Housekeepers' Responsibility.**

How many suffer from dyspepsia and other ills, by the neglect of the house-keeper to see that the food provided is made from articles that are not injurious to health. Among the articles which are perfectly pure and wholesome, is Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Encourage its sale by a liberal patronage.

The time for the arrival and departure of the mail on the Narrow Gauge, will be corrected in our Postoffice bulletin next week.

**The Difference.**

Dr. Price's Extract of Vanilla is made from the true Mexican Vanilla bean, while most of the so-called extract of vanilla in the market is but an imitation, made from the tongue, or snuff bean.

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The Sabbath School convention, or institute, held at the Baptist Church on Friday and Saturday last, was interesting and profitable. We heard Rev. Mr. Rhodes on Saturday night. He made an exceedingly interesting discourse.

**Lastings.**

So lasting is the odor of Dr. Price's Pet Rose, Ylang-Ylang, Thibet Musk, Alissa Bouquet, and other essences, that a handkerchief perfumed with them will still retain the odor after being washed.

No one who has used Dr. Price's Unique Perfumes can have failed to notice their rich, fresh fragrance.

A child of Ed. D. Davis Esq., of Jefferson Furnace, was dangerously, if not fatally, burned last week, by its clothes taking fire. Mr. Davis had a child burned to death a year or two ago.

The report of Dr. A. G. Byers, of the Board of State Charities, shows that in Jackson county the total expenses of the Infirmary for the year 1877 amounted to \$3,189 81, in 1878 was \$4,348 74, for 1878, \$3,255 13, or nearly double, being an increase in one year of \$3,446 39.

The value of farm products at the Infirmary for the year 1878 was \$350. The per diem and expenses of Directors \$309 10, employees \$58 50.

Probably no preparation has received so much praise from its patrons, nor is so deserving of commendation as Hall's Hair Renewer! We but echo the voice of the millions who have used it when we pronounce it the best Hair Dressing in the world. It stands unrivalled. Those who are affected with diseases of the scalp accompanied with itching or irritation, find relief and renewal in this invaluable remedy. When the hair is inclined to fall off, a moderate use of the Renewer will strengthen the roots of the hair and preserve it, and if it exhibits a tendency to turn gray it will restore the natural color.—(Fulton Mo.) Telegraph.

The people who reside in Jackson county, and in the town of Jackson, have reason to be proud of the character of our people. The women who have been here at the meeting, the men who have attended our great Sabbath School celebration, the men who have attended the meetings of our Literary Society—all bear testimony that such evidence of morality, true religion, literary taste, musical talent and general refinement, cannot be found in any other county in the State.

**Nervousness.**

In whatever form one is afflicted with nervous troubles, whether of the head, sleeplessness, pains in the body or limbs, or, worse of all, that indescribable feeling which renders life almost unbearable, and is more common among ladies than men, and known as "Nervousness," we sympathize and pity them; but we want to let all thus troubled know, that they need not suffer any more. Lawson's Curative is strongly recommended for all nervous difficulties. You have only to apply it to the spine and rub it thoroughly in and bathe in it, when your nervousness will disappear, you will sleep the sweet sleep of infancy, and do away with opiates and narcotics, which do more harm than good.

Mrs. Miller, of Cincinnati, made an address at the M. E. Church on Sunday night, which deserves notice. She said she was in favor of the exaltation of woman. Christ was the friend of woman.

There Mrs. Miller touched the great question. Christ lived in an age, and in a country, where woman was degraded, and regarded as an inferior. Even Paul exhibited this narrow Eastern prejudice against woman; but Christ was kind, and just, and merciful to woman. In our opinion, his treatment of women and children is the very highest evidence of his divinity.

Mrs. Miller appears to be an educated, intelligent, refined, sensible, earnest, pious, Christian woman.

John Hughes, of Oak Hill, died last week. He was about 82 years of age. He came from Wales in the year 1837, and settled in Jefferson township, at the head of "Reese's Ridge," near the "Locust Thicket." When Jefferson Furnace was built, twenty-five years ago, he took stock, which paid largely, and he retired, farming and came to Oak Hill, (Portland) to spend the remainder of his days. He leaves a considerable amount of property.

Senator Dungan writes to us that, this bill which we published last week, curbing the quack doctors, passed the Senate, with the following amendment: "And any physician rendering services for paupers, shall receive as payment in full for his services, such sum as the trustees, or any two of them, shall decide is just and reasonable."

We do not think the House will pass this bill. We call Mr. Paine's special attention to the matter, and we urge the Representatives from other counties to come to the relief of Jackson county. In the Annual Report of State Board of Charities, pages 112, 113 and 114, we find that the entire amount paid for medical attendance upon paupers, outside of Infirmary, during the year 1878, was \$37,844 39. Of this sum, Jackson county paid \$5,000, or near one-seventh of the entire amount, while the population of the county is only about one hundredth part of the population of the State. It cost Jackson county double the amount paid in any other county of the State. Now we demand the details of this outrage. Who are these doctors, and how much did each receive? We call upon the county Auditor, trustees, clerks and treasurers to furnish us the facts and figures. This matter must be thoroughly ripped up.

Some ten days ago seven women came to this place, to take part in a series of religious meetings. They were from Cincinnati and Springfield. They left on Monday. Meetings were held day and night, and the congregations were large and attentive. Many united with the church. These women were delighted with the reception they met here, and were astonished at the character of our people. A large crowd went to the Depot to see them depart, and the separation was touching. We became acquainted with Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Whitridge of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Maxwell and Miss Panning, of Springfield.

If Paul had been here, and heard these good women, and seen the work they accomplished, he would have been ashamed of his prejudices.

Rev. Mr. Creighton said some things at the M. Church last Sunday night, which deserve a wider circulation than was given, even in that large congregation. He said that he believed nearly all the pretended death bed conversions were bogus. He did not believe in a murderer stepping from the gallows into glory. A man would give all his years to his civil profligacy, and commit all kinds of crimes, and when at last he was cornered, he would be told, in prison, by some spiritual adviser, that he was forgiven, and all was well. He, (Mr. Creighton,) had no faith in such conversions, and if heaven is filled by thieves and murderers, he did not want to go there. That is the right kind of preaching.

Some years ago Esq. Am. Scott rented the Valley House in this place, and he had been there some time when he met on the street, and told him he ought to protest. He said he did not see why that was necessary, as he already had more customers than he could accommodate.

That is about the way with George W. Rice. Some time ago he told us that he must have had his old advertisement re-modelled. It still located his store next door to Wade's furniture room, whereas Mr. Wade had been out of the furniture business some time. Now Mr. Rice has received stacks of new goods, and he makes the usual excuse—not time, &c. We intend to get after Rice, and stay with him, until he shall attend to this matter.

We once attended a Republican nominating convention, and a prominent Democrat sat near us. There were several candidates, one of whom was far ahead of the others for ability and popularity. The first two or three ballots showed most of the second rate candidates ahead, but no one had a majority of the whole vote.

These votes were complimentary. Then the real candidate began to gain on the others, and the Democrat remarked to us, "now the old wheel-horse begins to tighten the traces." And so it was. He soon received the nomination.

There are several wheel-horses among our retail dealers, but Oliver Miller is one whose traces are always on the stretch, and there is no kicking in the harness at his store. He pulls ahead steadily, at all times.

The Welsh Sabbath Schools of Jackson and Gallia, held their annual competitive meeting at Oak Hill on the 9th inst. The exercises consisted of Essays, Poems, Recitations and Music. Small prizes were awarded for the best productions and renderings. The choirs of Moriah, Zoar, Horeb and Oak Hill, did great credit to themselves, and demonstrated that they are possessed of a musical talent, and that by continuing their organization and practice, they will soon attain a degree of efficiency that they may well be proud of, and by the way, if they make the effort, they will in all probability surprise many by capturing the prizes at our County Assembly on the 4th of June next. All they need is the will to take hold. M. D. Jones of our place was the musical adjudicator, which position he filled with credit to himself, and general satisfaction. The meeting was presided over by Rev. E. R. Jones, M. A. Oak Hill, and the exercises conducted by Rev. D. J. Jenkins, Horeb, and much is due to their efficiency. Miss Jessie Hanna of our place was the organist of the day.—The meeting was a success in every respect.

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